



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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P.O. BOX 120296
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78212

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C90017963

Response Due Date
06/14/2019

REFERENCE: OCTOBER QUARTERLY REPORT (07/01/2018 - 09/30/2018)

Dear Filer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the Report of Independent Expenditures Made and Contributions Received (FEC Form 5) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** Additional information is needed for the following 2 item(s):

1. Line 7 of your FEC Form 5 filing discloses disbursements made for independent expenditure(s). However, no contributions are disclosed on Line 6, "Total Contributions."

Each person (other than a political committee) who made a contribution(s) to the reporting person between July 1 and August 3, 2018, aggregating in excess of \$200 within the calendar year, to further the reported independent expenditure(s) must be itemized on Schedule A, including their identification information. (11 CFR § 109.10(e)(1)(vi)) Each person (other than a political committee) who made a contribution(s) to the reporting person on or after August 4, 2018, whose contribution(s) had an aggregate amount or value in excess of \$200 within the calendar year, must be itemized on Schedule 5-A, including their identification information, date, and amount of such contribution(s). In addition, memo text must be used to indicate which of these persons made a contribution in excess of \$200 to the reporting person for the purpose of furthering any independent expenditure. (52 U.S.C. §§ 30101(13) and 30104 (c)(1), (c)(2)(C)) (See <https://www.fec.gov/updates/fec-provides-guidance-following-us-district-court-decision-crew-v-fec-316-f-supp-3d-349-ddc-2018/>.)

Please amend your report to provide the missing information or provide clarifying information.

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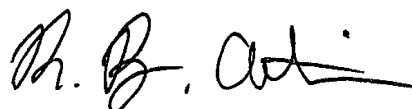
2. It appears that 48-hour notice(s) for the attached independent expenditures was filed late. Please be advised that you are required to file 48-hour reports once you make independent expenditures aggregating \$10,000 or more with respect to a given election any time during the calendar year up to and including the 20th day before the election. The report must be received at the Commission 11:59 p.m. Eastern Standard/Daylight Time by the second day after the communication was publicly distributed or otherwise disseminated. In the report, you must include information for all independent expenditures that have not been previously reported. Each time you make subsequent independent expenditures relating to the same election that aggregate \$10,000 or more, you must file another 48-hour report disclosing these independent expenditures. (11 CFR § 109.10(c) and (e)) Please provide clarification regarding the timeliness of your 48-hour reporting for the independent expenditures in question. Further, if the date disclosed on your Form 5 was the date of payment, rather than the date of public dissemination or distribution, please provide the date of dissemination or distribution.

In addition, please be advised that you are required to disclose these independent expenditures, along with contribution and disbursement information, on Form 5 as a regularly scheduled quarterly report. (11 CFR § 109.10(b) and (e))

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may result in an enforcement action against the entity. Any response submitted by your entity will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

For additional information about the report review process or specific filing information, please visit <http://transition.fec.gov/rad/>. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll free number (800) 424 9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1196.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. B. Austin", written over a horizontal line.

Bradley Austin
Senior Campaign Finance Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

Late Filed 48 Hour Reports**Taking Texas To The Top (C90017963)**

Name	Date	Amount	Purpose	Candidate
Texas Organizing Project	9/25/18	\$2,706.12	Canvassing - Estimate	Ortiz Jones, Gina